<u>IN THE CLAIMS:</u>

Please cancel claims 2, 13 and 15.

Please amend claims 1, 5, 9, 11 and 12 as follows:

1. (Amended) A system for automatic generation of card-based presentation documents from multimedia data comprising:

a presentation style transformer for receiving a card display schema and for processing said card display schema to describe meta rules about presentation resources and content variable definitions for a card-based presentation specification; and

a card-based presentation generator connected to said presentation style transformer for receiving said card-based presentation specification and a card-based document content and for providing formatting object descriptions.

5. (Amended) A system for automatic generation of card-based presentation documents from multimedia data as claimed in claim 1 wherein said card based presentation generator comprises:

a presentation construct mapper;

a card-based Document Style Semantics and Specification Language (DSSSL) processor connected to said presentation construct mapper; and

a Formatting Object Descritptions (FOD) converter connected to said card-based Document Style Semantic Language processor.

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9. (Amended) A system for automatic generation of card-based presentation documents from multimedia data as claimed in claim 8 wherein said context tree captures content mapping rule context for making an efficient generation process of procedural rule mappings in Card-based Presentation Specification (CPS).

11. (Amended) A system for automatic generation of card-based presentation documents from multimedia data as claimed in claim 10 wherein said card-based document flow object tree comprises:

a specification of a sequence of FOD flow objects.

12. (Amended) A method for automatic generation of card-based presentation documents from multimedia data comprising the steps of:

generating presentation resource descriptions;

translating declarative card layout style specifications into procedural card-based presentations; and

generating a card based presentation.

REMARKS

Claims 1, 5, 9, 11 and 12 have been amended and claims 2, 13 and 15 have been canceled. Claims 1, 3-12, 14 and 16 are pending in the present application.

The above amendments are in response to the Office action of December 20,